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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of:

Antero IRRl et al.

Serial No. 10/613,043

Art Unit: 3725

Filed: July 7, 2003

Examiner: Tolan, Edward Thomas

For: A MANUFACTURING CELL
AND A TRANSFER AN
MANIPULATING APPARATUS
FOR WORK PIECES

Atty Docket: 0101/0022

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136
AND FEE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.17**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows:

XX One-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated April 11, 2005 (\$120 fee)

— Two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated ____ (\$450 fee)

— Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated __(\$1020 fee)

XXX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit the above noted fees from Deposit Account No. 50-0501. If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0501. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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